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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kawasaki et al.

Serial No.: 10/659,119

Filing Date: September 10, 2003

For MAGNETIC FILM AND THIN FILM
MAGNETIC HEAD USING THIS
MAGNETIC FILM

Examiner: Kevin M. Bernatz

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action dated August 8, 2006. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection in view of the amendment and remarks presented herein.

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